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NOTE Japanese with intelligence experience

~~Kido Ryo (1004/2063/0081), Political Affairs Secretary to Deputy Premier OGATA Saketora, is engaged in information collection activities. His sources are:~~

~~X TAKAHASHI Asakawa
(1004/035/2660/1816)~~ Graduate of Tokyo University; purged from Yomiuri Shimbun; meets Kido in the first Conference Room at the House of Representatives.

~~X MIZUCHI Ichiro
(1004/0636/0362/0745)~~ Also purged from Yomiuri.

~~X MIYAZAWA Zenro
(1004/0631/0310/6715)~~ Writer for Japan Communist Party newspaper Akashata.

~~X KOBAYASHI Ichiro (nao) Journalist from Asahi Shimbun~~

~~It is generally felt that Kido's motive in his work was unknown, though it is open to the question whether it is in behalf of or independent of CPJ. The backgrounds of his sources raise the presumption that the information collected concerns CPJ communist and leftist activities in Japan.~~

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